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In re Patent Application of: Venkateswarlu Jasti et al.

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For: NOVEL TETRACYCLIC ARYLSULFONYL

INDOLES HAVING SEROTONIN RECEPTOR

AFFINITY USEFUL AS THERAPEUTIC

AGENTS, PROCESS FOR THEIR

PREPARATION AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM

## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 24, 2009, and an Advisory Action dated July 16, 2009, please enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks.

A petition for a one-month extension of time and the accompanying fee are submitted with this response. If the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determines that any additional fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any such required fees (or credit any refunds) to Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.